

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

XIAORONG WANG,

Defendant.

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CASE NO. 5:12CR00380-001

JUDGMENT

JAMES S. GWIN, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE:

This case came before the Court for jury trial on September 24, 2012. After the United States rested its case, Defendant Wang moved the Court for a judgment of acquittal under Criminal Rule 29. After considering the arguments of counsel, the Court found the evidence was insufficient to sustain a conviction on Counts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of the Indictment. Specifically, the Court found insufficient evidence that any conversion of a trade secret was for the economic benefit of someone other than the owner. The Court also found insufficient evidence that the Defendant intended or knew that any theft would, to a practical certainty, injure the owner of the trade secret. Additionally, counts 9, 10, 11 and 12 are dismissed without prejudice.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: September 26, 2012

s/ James S. Gwin
JAMES S. GWIN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE